

Table III.B.1. Number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1996

Division	All State and local governments	State governments	Local governments				
			Less than 250 employees	250-999 employees	1,000-4,999 employees	5,000-9,999 employees	10,000 or more employees
United States	16,454,417	4,716,409	2,050,609	2,996,573	3,424,138	1,039,169	2,227,519
Census division							
New England	765,395	253,747	94,345	210,976	122,884 *	60,471	22,973
Middle Atlantic	2,319,968	591,173	290,805	460,051	334,412	103,708	539,819
East North Central	2,623,487	705,690	477,565	658,531	466,507	59,270	255,924
West North Central	1,266,677	378,461	326,354	259,834	198,122	91,716 *	12,191
South Atlantic	2,955,845	881,626	143,176	317,904	757,593	313,375	542,171
East South Central	1,014,460	331,606	101,295	245,871	219,841	48,621 *	67,226
West South Central	1,904,265	540,828	259,970	327,787	395,480	161,465	218,735
Mountain	1,072,653	337,186	149,642	175,260	217,585	81,166	111,813
Pacific	2,531,666	696,093	207,456	340,361	711,712	119,377	456,667

Standard error for number of State and local government employees by government type and size and census division: United States, 1996

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United States	196,120	0	83,308	150,358	166,503	70,055	0
Census division							
New England	70,210	0	14,567	57,816	50,729 *	11,586	0
Middle Atlantic	46,169	0	40,351	58,570	52,058	0	0
East North Central	71,711	0	41,860	80,994	107,330	0	0
West North Central	58,690	0	26,631	39,072	45,464	31,749 *	0
South Atlantic	37,012	0	20,384	39,239	47,864	20,193	0
East South Central	29,557	0	11,347	18,250	18,011	18,747 *	0
West South Central	64,929	0	38,039	35,979	56,460	40,852	0
Mountain	48,474	0	26,971	23,919	29,041	16,061	0
Pacific	84,012	0	36,756	74,287	56,510	22,465	0

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Cost and Financing Studies. 1996 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey -- Insurance Component.

Definitions and descriptions of the methods used for this survey can be found in the [Technical Appendix](#).

Note: Standard errors of zero indicate that all governments in that category are in the survey.

\*Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.